

The Carlstadt News.

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CARLSTADT, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1914

No. 4

The Methodist Choir will practice on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. L. Armstrong.

Dr. J. Cleary Wray
DENTIST

Office, Carlstadt Drug Store
Next Visit, Monday, January 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Wood entertained at a 5 o'clock dinner on Sunday last, the birthday anniversary of Master Jack Wood. The guests of the evening were Dr. and Mrs. S. F. McEwen, Rev. T. W. Conliffe, and Mr. Wesley McEwen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Otterman were up in Calgary last Wednesday and Thursday.

TIDE LAKE

The brass band is doing fine under the able management of Professor Souza.

The orchestra is kept busy at late as the dance parties are numerous, and is open for engagements for parties, balls, clubs, concerts, etc.

Mr. Hancock was out hunting and came back with a bag of game. The two Mitchell boys are well digging.

The boys of the district are anxious for some snow as they are contemplating building a toboggan slide.

Snow is needed for cattle grazing.

Many Tide Lake people took in the dance at Fertile Flats.

A number of live hogs were shipped from this district recently.

A Hogboom has just put up a fine new residence. He has put in a large cistern for water supply.

A fine time was enjoyed at J. Hancock's last week. He is a jolly good host.

The Tide Lake schoolhouse is now finished and is a fine structure.

A. Hill purchased a new buggy.

We are all pleased to know that the C. N. R. will soon be through here. Already several are contemplating locating for business at the new town.

Man on Watch.

Carlstadt Ladies Aid Meeting

The Ladies' Aid met at the church on Wednesday, January 7th with a good attendance. At this meeting it was decided that they prepare a play entitled "A Ladies' Aid Business Meeting" to be presented some evening in February. The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid is called for January 21st at the home of Mrs. H. R. Bean. All ladies are invited to be present and assist in the work which will be provided.

Carlstadt School Board Election

N. E. Stuart and E. C. Hegy are Elected for Three and One Year Terms Respectively.

The annual meeting of Carlstadt School District was held on the afternoon of Saturday, January 10th, in the schoolhouse. F. E. McDiarmid, as chairman, opened proceedings at 2 o'clock. A fair attendance was on hand.

The report of the teacher, F. J. Conn, for 1913, was read and approved. Through the year, eighty nine pupils, fifty one males and thirty eight females have attended school, and so far as is known, all children of school age in the district have attended. There are two rooms in the school and the senior room includes grade III and upwards. There are most children in grades I, II, and V.

At three o'clock, the chairman called for nominations for school trustees to fill two vacancies for the year 1914, one for a three year term, and one for a one year term. The nominations for three years were N. E. Stuart, nominated by H. R. Bean and Mrs. F. C. Woolven, and C. T. Hildahl, nominated by Rev. F. E. Cysdale and Thom Stenlund. Those for one year were Frank Stead by Mrs. F. C. Woolven and C. T. Hildahl, and E. C. Hegy by C. H. Wagner and H. R. Bean.

The election lasted from 3.30 till 5.30 and after the ballots were counted, the chairman declared elected N. E. Stuart for three years and E. C. Hegy for one year. The result was: For three years, N. E. Stuart 15, C. T. Hildahl 5, and one year, E. C. Hegy 14, F. Stead 5.

Organisation Meeting of "Y"

The "Y" met at the A. S. Lockrem home last Thursday afternoon to organize for the first six months of 1914. Mrs. R. R. Haight presided and gave an address on "Evangelicalism," and a good programme was rendered by the members, recitations, readings and a solo by Miss Edna Gish. There was a good attendance and a large amount of business was transacted, plans being drawn up for the 1914 work. The officers elected were: Pres. Edna Gish, Vice Pres. Mrs. E. H. Smith, Treas. Mrs. F. J. Conn, Sec. Alma Lockrem, Corresponding Sec. Louise Wanger, Misses Clara and Alma Lockrem proved admirable hostesses and a very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all.

Epworth League

Rev. F. E. Cysdale presided on Tuesday evening over a good attendance at the weekly meeting of the Epworth League in the church. Miss V. Seymour introduced the subject which was the "Life and work of Dr. Thomas Crosby".

among the Flathead Indians of B. C. Mrs. W. Ball, Mrs. E. H. Smith and Mrs. F. J. Conn also contributed papers while Mr. Conn gave reminiscences of the Dr. whom he met out at the Coast.

Harry Johnson has been visiting towns up the line. He says Carlstadt leads them all.

"PIGS IS PIGS"

But if you would feed them ground grain they would soon be fat hogs. We grind grain every Monday and Friday at 15c per cwt.

N. C. McCracken, 5, 19, 8.

The Biggest Gold Rush In History

Will be into Shushanna, the new Klondike of Alaska, this spring. Men are now braving the rigors of an Arctic winter and "beating in" over perilous trails to be ahead of the stampede. Pioneers of the Yukon and Nevada freely predict that more of the precious metal will be taken out of Shushanna than from any camp in the history of gold mining. From Dawson and all the diggings of Alaska and the Yukon, and from Nevada and California as well, experienced miners are preparing for the first opportunity to reach Shushanna. The boom is on in earnest, for never has a gold camp shown such promise.

Also the biggest immigration

Rush in history will be this year. The majority of whom are looking for improved land. Just had word from Denver, Colorado, that a whole train load of select farmers are getting ready to come to Alberta as soon as Spring opens up. Also from two other points. Better list your property with us before the rush begins and we will send it in our special list which we are preparing to mail out.

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Others in proportion

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25lb. box of extra choice evap. apples \$3.10
Good prunes 10c lb.
Evaporated peaches 12 1-2c lb.
4lb. rice 25c
13 pkgs. cornflakes \$1.00
25lb. evaporated sweetened condensed milk \$1.00
Good breakfast bacon 24c
Choice winter apples only a few days longer at \$2.30 a box.

H. R. Bean, Broadway

Mac's Office News.



How many acres of corn are you going to plant this year? Don't tell me that corn will not grow in Sunny Southern Alberta as you most likely will. In this day and age of the world it is not practical to say that a thing is impossible for you no more than get started explaining why a thing can not be done, when along comes a man who has already done it.

Corn is one of the best paying crops that you can raise and the sooner you get at it, the better for you.

Corn will grow if properly cultivated no matter how hot or dry the weather becomes. What drawbacks have you had in the past in regard to growing wheat? Would the same conditions have ruined a corn crop, or would it not? Corn will not only grow and make good fodder for your stock all winter, but it will get ripe and make excellent hog feed, horse feed, and chicken feed, or when ground

and prepared by your wife, would be fit food for any biped on the place from the old gobbler strutting about the yard, to the little baby just learning to walk.

If you wish to plant your corn in the best possible manner, get a Manutary Corn Planter, which if you would ask me I would certainly say was the best corn planter on earth. But if you are not going to buy the best corn planter on earth this year, your Van Brunt Drill will seed corn in drills very nicely by closing some of the holes. You know the Van Brunt is specially made to plant large grains like corn by adjusting the feed gate which is not on other drills. And if you do not care to buy a corn binder this year, you can cut your corn very nicely with a John Deere Grain Binder, but in any event plant corn this year and have stock to eat it when it has matured.

If you persist that corn can not be grown, along will come a man that has already grown it. So don't say it can not be done.



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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1914.

This Lethbridge Herald of Saturday quotes the Medicine Hat Times as saying that Napoleon died on the Isle of Elba. History says he escaped from there and was later banished to St. Helena, where he died.

One of our exchanges, last week, made an effort to discredit the advertising of business men by issuing calendars. The argument is that the cost of these calendars might be put to better advantage in support of the local paper. That is not exactly true. A thorough business man finds many avenues through which to advertise and both calendars and newspapers are useful mediums. This writer further argues that Eaton's don't send out calendars. It is evident that he does not understand what constitutes advertising—Eaton does. The News just now is catering from its ordinary course by doing what so many country newspapers are guilty of doing, advising against mail order house buying. It is bad for a town to send out so much money, but it is worse when the newspaper gives the mail order houses free publicity by trying to stop it. This is not our object. The mail order houses realise the value of advertising and know how to advertise in innumerable subtle ways. It is the duty of the business men of a small town to combat this, to fight mail order houses with their own weapons. Those who advertise get the business alright. It is a well known fact that the volume of goods shipped to this town from catalogue houses is almost equal to the amount shipped to stockpilers here in Carlstadt. This hits our local merchants chiefly because when buying by mail, cash is necessary, while the trading done in town is much of it credit. It is very evident there is money in the country. No business man can afford to extend credit indefinitely. It is the duty of the business men of this town to make a determined effort to build up Carlstadt by having every farmer in the district do his buying right here in town, to have them bring their money and spend it in Carlstadt.

On Monday evening, the Carlstadt council transacted a fair amount of business, some of which will mean much to the future prosperity of the district. The appointments made are approved by all. Constable Rowatt will be a good officer and he will find that his position will be no insecure. The council exhibit intentions highly commendable, as they purpose to get after the money, for the required improvements can not be carried out without money. Their resolve to do away with the dumping ground which has long been an offence, is a wise one. One of the most important duties is to see that the fire apparatus is kept in good condition and in a convenient location. The best means to this end will be to have frequent practices. Efficient fire protection could readily be instituted. What is required is for someone to take the initiative. This department should be placed under proper control.



DID YOU EVER HEAR THE STORY

About the empty bucket?

If you didn't come into the store and we'll tell it to you. And if you did you can come and tell it to us, while you are inspecting our stock of Kodak and Violin supplies, Drugs, Stationery, Fancy Goods and Toilet preparations. We have some of the best extracts that we are selling at a reduction.

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Carlstadt Pharmacy

S. F. McEwen, Prop.

The Carlstadt News Classified Ads.

FOR SALE One hundred and sixty acre farm three miles from Carlstadt. Is all fenced, one hundred and fifteen acres in crop, and first class well. The price of this will surprise you. Apply to Carlstadt News.

STRAYED—On farm of Carlstadt Development Co. about October 1st, one black gelding, two years old, branded V3 on left hip, white star on forehead.

STRAYED—One dark roan gelding, star on forehead, sharp shod all around, no brand. One roan mare, bald face, two white hind feet, branded 2 on left shoulder. 820 reward will be paid for return of horses to Tilley Hotel, Tilley, and \$10 for information leading to recovery.

FOR SALE or exchange for something of equal value, one well bred Berkshire boar pig, one year old, weight about two hundred pounds. D. A. Leitch. 21

\$25 REWARD will be paid for information leading to the recovery of six bay geldings. Five bearing fire brands, pick over inverted triangles on the left shoulder. One bay horse, with white face and hind feet, same brand on left thigh. These horses all bear other brands. One had small ear-bell and another a short rope when last seen. A. L. Young, livery stable, Brooks, Alta. 21

Notice of Bailiff's Sale

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 24th day of January, A. D. 1914, the undersigned will cause to be sold at public auction without reserve to the highest bidder, at the corral adjoining A. Cole's livery barn in Carlstadt, Alberta, at twelve o'clock noon, all those certain horses seized under Lien Note bearing date the 10th day of April 1913, made by Robert J. Stevenson and William Stevenson in favour of Thomas Allen, which Lien Note was registered in Medicine Hat Registration District on the 18th day of May, 1913 as number 956, and which horses are therein described as follows: One black horse three years old, star in face, branded () on right hip and () on right side neck. One dark iron gray horse, three years old, branded () on right hip and () on right side neck. One bay horse, star in face, four years old, branded () on right hip and () on right side neck. One bay horse, black points, four years old, star in face, branded () on right hip and () on right side neck. Thomas Allen, Per Mark V. Wilson, Bailiff.

condition and in a convenient location. The best means to this end will be to have frequent practices. Efficient fire protection could readily be instituted. What is required is for someone to take the initiative. This department should be placed under proper control.

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By a series of experiments scientifically conducted at the experimental farm that SHORTS will produce more pork than wheat or barley, wheat coming second and barley third. Detailed account of these experiments on file in my office. Medicine Hat Milling Company's shorts are the best it is possible to produce. On sale at the price of inferior feed.

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- Ten acres of fruit land fronting on Arrow Lakes B.C.
- Ten trackage lots in Castor, Alta., clear title.
- Two lots in Stettler, clear title.
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Calgary Herald	\$3.00
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Total	\$5.00

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The News, Carlstadt, Alberta.

PEERLESS PLASHINGS

The marriage took place on New Year's Day of Miss Nora Ayres to Richard Tribe, at the home of the bride's parents. Only the immediate relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Tribe will take up their residence at once on their acre.

F. Dundas, A. Nelson and R. Cameron drove to Medicine Hat last Monday. A. Nelson and R. Cameron were providing up.

The Basket Social on New Year's night was a grand success. Every report a jolly time. Proceeds realized \$50, which sum is put in the funds for purchasing a piano or an organ for the school.

Geo. Tribe and W. Morrison returned to the homestead last Friday, having spent the last month in Calgary.

A dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Tribe last Wednesday night. A large crowd was in attendance and all report a good time.

George Whitney is planning to spend a few weeks up in Langdon.

Allen Whitney, who has spent the last six months in Langdon, returned to the homestead Tuesday.

A meeting was held in Peerless school Saturday, January 10th, to form an association and have a government house placed in this district. The Peerless Live Stock Association already have a first class hog, under the care of J. L. Brown.

BRUTUS BLARNEY

Wedding bells will ring soon at Brutus.

George Turtle failed to get water in his first two wells and is now trying his luck at the third well.

Well, well, it's a dry country, George.

Mr. Lemna, of Tripoli, called on Vance Campbell Thursday.

Earl Allen was in town Friday and Saturday.

Roy Garbutt got a good price for his hogs in Redcliff last week. Roy knows how to make good pork.

V. Campbell called on R. Rodman Saturday. Vance is right in to the horse business now.

S. S. Boyd was a Carlstadt visitor Saturday.

George Whitehead called on R. Garbutt Thursday.

Ben Gieson has sold his outfit to P. Larson. We have not heard the price. But we understand that it beats all records for the Brutus district.

S. Hellevang and G. Turtle were in Carlstadt Saturday on business.

Pete Hansen lost a valuable mare last week. Old age was the trouble.

George Turtle has sold his trotting mare, Steel Shoe II, to Vance Campbell.

H. Trueman was a visitor at the experimental farm last Sunday.

R. Anderson returned from Carlstadt last Saturday.

Read Cupid's Columns, Fred.

P. Larsen was a Carlstadt visitor Friday.

B. F. Berryman has found a fine supply of water on Wesley McEwen's pre-emption at a depth of thirty-five feet.

Alce Dewar called on R. A. Jones Friday.

O. K. Olsen is now busy pailing his calves, and getting them into condition for spring work.

A big dance was organized last Wednesday night in the Fertile Flats schoolhouse. Twenty couples were present and good music was supplied by the Fertile Flats orchestra, J. Erickson violin, W. Vagar violin and S. Tammeros guitar.

POLONA PONDERINGS

Roy Cameron of Peerless has been spending a few days at the home of L. C. Furey.

Billy Taylor sold a fine saddle pony to Mr. Johnson of Tripoli.

T. Monahan busied himself last week hauling straw for J. Howe.

The many friends of Clyde Arnolds are glad to welcome him back to this community after remaining ten weeks in Brooks hospital with typhoid fever. His father, Mr. Arnolds, of Roberts, Illinois, accompanied him home.

Louis Zimmerman took dinner with L. C. Furey on Sunday.

C. A. Wallace is busy hauling baled hay to town for T. Monahan.

If John Hill of Polona is left to hatch after this it won't be his fault. John returned home from Carlstadt on Tuesday last, bringing with him a nice new buggy. Look out girls.

Mrs. Pearl McDonald of Tripoli spent a few days last week with Mrs. L. C. Furey.

O. B. Callard of Polona has proved up his homestead and left on Tuesday for Leamington, Ont. to meet his wife and other friends.

C. C. Hyatt and L. C. Furey accompanied O. B. Callard to Medicine Hat on Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Zimmerman and C. A. Wallace took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. T. Monahan on Friday.

RAINY VALLEY

The annual meeting of the Rainy Valley School District was held in the school house, Monday afternoon when officers for 1914 were elected. It was decided to have seven months school if regular attendance warrant same. If a teacher can be secured, school will open about April 6th.

The annual meeting of the U. F. A., Rainy Valley local, was held in the Fertile Flats schoolhouse on Saturday, January 10th, when the following officers were elected. Pres. E. G. Gish. Vice Pres. Ed. Edmonds. Sec. Treas. H. E. Kaslo. Directors, H. A. Wanvig, E. Lee, Wm. Parkkari, Ole Borge, Lloyd Shield, L. B. Stewart. H. R. Kaslow was appointed to attend the Lettbridge Convention on January 20th, if the elected delegate, W. K. Gish, is not able to be there. Next meeting of the U. F. A. will be held in the Rainy Valley schoolhouse, Saturday, January 31st at 1:30 p.m.

Herbert Johnson, of Carlstadt, was out here on Monday.

If you have house proving to do ask Lloyd Shields. He has had some experience lately.

The Rainy Valley U. F. A. have appointed as an entertainment committee the following. H. A. Wanvig, E. G. Gish, Wm. Parkkari and S. Tammeros. Rest assured it will be a great affair.

Mrs. C. R. McDonald and two sons are wintering at the Hat.

Halsey Lamoy is staying with C. R. McDonald this winter.

Lutheran Young People's Society meets at Ed. Edmonds on Thursday at 1 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fardon spent Monday evening at Kaslow's.

Bob Gish returned from Medicine Hat hospital last Wednesday and went out to the homestead at Adams.

It is supposed that Frank Flannery also came up from the Hat. There is someone staying at the Great West who is about Frank's length. In a few days his friends will succeed in recognizing him again.

C. A. Wallace, of Polona, was in town yesterday, hauling in a load of hay.

J. McCracken was a Carlstadt visitor Monday.

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BIG FEED

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The Suffield schoolhouse was made a total wreck last Thursday at 5:30 p.m., by an explosion of natural gas which occurred when the janitor, examining the system, which has been quite recently installed, struck a match. The metre is in the basement, and the building was lifted from its foundation by the explosion which resulted. The man was burned. Boiled ham at the Pioneer Meat Market. Try some.

The Old Reliable

Pioneer Store

STOCK TAKING

We have some good bargains in dry goods. Odd lines which we do not wish to carry over. Come and see them.

Fresh groceries all the time at lowest prices.

F. C. Woollven

New By-Laws to be Drafted

Sanitary Condition of Carlstadt to be Vastly Improved.

Fire Department to be Organized and Apparatus Repaired

Carlstadt council met Monday evening, in the office of F. E. McDiarmid, Mayor Coter in the chair, all the members being present. C. H. Wagner acted as secretary for this meeting and several resolutions were in attendance.

The minutes of last meeting were read by the secretary and passed. The first business was the appointment of a secretary-treasurer for the year 1914. There were several applicants, but after some discussion it was decided that V. Star has all necessary qualifications for this position, and he was elected at a salary of \$150.

The office of constable was allotted to Fred Rowatt.

The question was brought forward of purchasing the manual on by-laws for Alberta. It enables a town's by-laws to be drawn up correctly, giving examples of all possible laws required. It was considered that the book will be very essential, and on the motion of W. M. Cotter, seconded by F. E. McDiarmid, it was decided to keep it.

V. L. Lloyd made a report upon his enquiry into what by-laws it is advisable to have drawn up, and he was empowered to draft these, to be brought before the council at a future meeting.

F. E. McDiarmid, presenting his report on the sanitary condition of the town, stated that he found, in addition to several unsanitary spots, the general appearance of Carlstadt is untidy, there is too much straw and waste paper around, which besides being unsightly, is dangerous in case of fire. An interesting discussion ensued. It was decided to include in the duties of constable the periodical inspection of all property in the town and the constable is to be instructed to see that all residents keep their premises in a sanitary condition. It was recommended that a slight remuneration is advisable, and a nominal salary will be paid the constable in addition to fees.

On the motion of V. L. Lloyd, seconded by F. E. McDiarmid, Dr. S. F. McEwen was appointed Health Officer.

The fire loss has been without protection from the weather for some time. It is feared that it may have become spoiled. V. L. Lloyd moved and W. M. Cotter seconded that the constable be instructed to test the fire hose on the first suitable day, to find how much is good and to place it under shelter until proper protection can be found. This brings up the question of a fire hall and also a look-up, both very urgently needed in this town. Mr. Lloyd offered the use of his warehouse as a temporary shelter for the hose. When the pump shall be in working order and a plentiful supply of water shall be on hand, periodical fire practices should be held. The Jackson Supply Co. of Calgary have not yet been able to send a man to erect the pump, but one is expected down this week.

Mr. Lloyd reported that refuse is still being dumped upon the old ground west of town, and he moved that the existence of this dumping ground is a nuisance, that warnings be issued, a notice to be inserted three times in the local paper to the effect that garbage must not be hauled out there, and that anyone after that date taking any refuse out to that ground, be liable to a penalty of not less than \$1.00 and not more than \$10.00.

A communication was read from A. J. Drummond. Municipalities in this district are willing to purchase plots in Carlstadt cemetery. It was moved by Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Mr. Cotter that twelve plots in Carlstadt cemetery be sold to King Municipality for \$25.00.

TIDE LAKE TIDINGS

Miss Mary Hill has been visiting at Hogaboams for a few days.

Bert Adams visited with his brother over Sunday.

Lee Hankle came out on the stage last Friday.

Miss Cordie Breen visited Miss Gloria Olson last Sunday.

L. Hankle was over in Tilley last Friday.

Carl Smiley is working for Hogaboams these days.

Miss Gloria Olson returned from Carlstadt last Friday.

Mrs. J. Franks paid McArthur's a visit last Thursday.

Ole Myren is digging a well. We hope he will reach water.

George Ely returned from the States some time ago where he had been on a visit to his parents.

Ole Nordness returned from the States last Friday. While down there he was married. All wish Mr. and Mrs. Nordness every happiness.

Mrs. T. Cutsforth and daughter Doris visited Mrs. Olson Wednesday.

J. McCall returned from Carlstadt Tuesday last with a load of lumber for Tide Lake schoolhouse.

JENNAIR

The annual meeting of the River Bend local of the U. F. A. was held last week and the following officers were elected. President, E. E. Sparks. Vice-Pres., Geo. Gundersen. Sec.-Treas. H. O. Klineck. Asst.-Sec., Frank Crooks. Board of Directors, W. H. Turner, J. A. Garrison, A. Wilkinson, Mrs. W. H. Turner, and Mrs. H. O. Klineck. J. E. Gundersen, Geo. Gundersen, H. O. Klineck and N. D. Garrison were elected delegates to the Provincial Convention to be held in Lethbridge, January 20-23. With the prospect of early railway service, this strong union is hopeful of a very bright future.

A well attended U. F. A. social and entertainment was held at the schoolhouse on New Year's Eve. The programme was varied and well rendered consisting of reading, recitations, solos, duets, quartettes, choruses, and some excellent instrumental and orchestra selections. The refreshments were much appreciated and all expressed a feeling of inward satisfaction as the old year passed away.

The school concert held on Christmas Eve was the occasion of a crowded house. The lengthy programme for the children, interspersed with varied numbers by older residents of the district, received many compliments. The room was tastefully decorated and thanks to P. J. O'Conner, the tree was not lacking. Liberal treats for the children were provided by the board. Before dispersing, all present partook of one of the good feeds for which this district is noted.

Over eating and sick stomachs are very popular this season. All are hopeful of a prosperous New Year.

A picnic was held at the Red Deer, December 30th. Tables were spread in the open and all ate in absolute comfort. Here's to our climate.

The account for the By-Laws Manual supplied by Municipal News of Calgary, was passed.

Mr. Lloyd moved that the council adjourn till the next meeting which will be held Monday evening, January 19th, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Cotter moved a hearty vote of thanks be accorded C. H. Wagner for officiating in such an able manner as secretary (or the meeting. Mr. Wagner acknowledged the vote, which was unanimous, in his usual happy manner.

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METHODIST SERVICES

The second of a series of subjects on Creation will be discussed by the pastor at the Methodist Church next Sunday at 7.40. Topic: "The Creation of Man." When? Of what? By whom? How? In the light of these answers, what is expected of him?

Sunday School and Bible Class every Sunday at 11 a.m. Classes for everybody.

The Epworth League meets regularly on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Make your plans to join in this service. It will do you good.

English Church

Service in St. Mary's Church, Carlstadt, Sunday, January 11th, at 9 p.m. All are welcome.

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Carlstadt Local U.F.A. Resolutions

An enthusiastic meeting of the U. F. A., Carlstadt local, was held in the Farmers Hotel, last Saturday. Mr. C. T. Hildahl presided over a somewhat disappointing attendance the school board meeting having delayed matters and caused some to be absent. However, the number present was sufficiently large to enable considerable business to be transacted. The delegates to the Lethbridge Convention leave on Monday and two resolutions are to be presented. The first of these deals with the question of having the homesteads revised as there is a strong sentiment in favor of having the area to be homesteaded enlarged from 160 to 320 acres. The other relates to the alleged injustice to the ratepayers of the Carlstadt School District who reside outside the town limits, who are taxed and who are assessed by officers whom they have had no voice in appointing.

A special meeting of the Carlstadt local will be held Saturday, January 17th, at 2 p.m., to deal with the question of securing paid sires for the benefit of stock raisers in this district. A good attendance is anticipated.

A. D. Thompson will give you good prices for your eggs. Bring them in.

O. H. Tweten, of Calgary, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

NOTICE

The public is hereby notified of the discontinuance of the dumping ground west of Carlstadt, as same has been declared a nuisance by the Village Council. A By-Law has been passed to this effect, and any person dumping refuse at this place shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$10.00.

Free Methodist Services

Free Methodist services in the 533 block building. Sunday school 9 p.m. Preaching 9 p.m. Evangelistic services Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 p.m. Preaching at 11.30 a.m. and Sunday school 11.45 a.m. in the Fertile Field school house. Any needy spiritual help will be vailed by applying to the pastor, Rev. R. R. Haig.

The Alberta Gazette contains a long list of persons appointed to be Commissioners to Administer Oaths and take and receive Affidavits, Declarations and Affirmations in and for the Province of Alberta, same to date from January 1st, 1914. W. M. Robt. H. Res. Sudfeld, Joe Delinck, Rowell, John Coffin, Eakin. John Lothian Brown, Peers, Elmer Englund, Carlstadt. Harry W. Johnson, Carlstadt. John Lahd, Bluegrass. Alfred E. Websdale, Websdale.

The Farmers Hotel, the only house in town that has a cook stove.

William Robert Hodgson, Esq. of Scitfield, has received notification of his appointment as Notary Public.

The union meeting of Y.W.C.T. U. and Epworth League will be held in the Methodist Church on Tuesday, January 20th at 8 p.m. The programme will be a debate on Woman Suffrage, with musical and other items. After the debate a box supper will be given. Boxes to be 50c and \$1.00. The ladies of the "Y" are making great preparations to make the basket supper a success and a cordial invitation is given to everyone to come and help them in doing so. Ladies bring baskets.

A meeting of the Carlstadt School Board will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. F. C. Woollven.

Free fish for Friday. Good meat every day at the Pioneer Meat Market.

H. G. Hanson, our Peerless correspondent, was in town today. He says there is no paper like the News.

A. C. Hughes and Roy Woollven journeyed to the Colville Ranch on Sunday. They drove back in time for business Monday.

The W.A. will meet, D.V., at the residence of Mrs. F. N. Woollven, on Tuesday afternoon, January 20th. All members are requested to be present.

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Wheat No. 2	68c
Wheat No. 3	64c
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Oats	28c
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